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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER,

AND

BOARDS OF EDUCATION,

OF THE

TOWN OF NORTHFIELD,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1888.

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF NORTHFIELD.

Amount of Money furnished Franklin J. Eastman, Treasurer.

The Selectmen charge the Treasurer as follows:

Cash balance, March 1, 1887,		$639 32
Received of State Treasurer, R. R. tax,		285 24
" " "	Savings Bank tax,	1,115 23
" " "	Literary Fund,	121 36
"	County of Merrimack,	394 05
"	Granite Mills Co., highway tax,	42 50
"	A. L. Davis, and David Brown, highway tax,	11 33
"	Morrill Moore, Collector, 1886,	139 84
" " " "	1887,	4,655 92
"	G. S. Abbott, " 1885,	10 92
"	Town of Boscawen, for aid to E. H. Boynton,	80 80
"	For use of Town House,	3 00
"	Daniel E. Hill, bal. of highway tax, 1885,	14 24
"	Cash for C. T. and M. E. French's note,	19 14
"	From highway lists, 1885,	1 22
"	Morrill Moore, Collector, 1887,	68 75
		$7,602 86

CREDIT ACCOUNT.

Orders have been given, by the Selectmen, on the Treasurer, to pay bills and claims, as follows:

Paid Coupons, out-standing,	$15 00
" Coupons, May and November,	513 00
" State tax,	1,032 00
" County tax,	981 63
	$2,541 63

SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid Daniel Sanborn, Town District,	$645 15
" O. G. Morrison, Union District,	421 21
	$1,066 36

PARSONAGE INTEREST.

Paid A. T. Cass, Insurance on Chapel,	$15 00
" C. H. Ayers, balance due, 1886,	7 00
" " " " " 1887,	7 00
	$29 00

EXPENSES IN L. D. HAINES ROAD CASE VS. TOWN.

Paid L. M. French, right of way,	$8 00
" L. D. Haines, award,	15 00
" Commissioners expenses,	19 50
" Court expenses,	27 32
	$69 82

EXPENSES IN TURNPIKE CASE VS. TOWN.

Paid Witness fee,	$7 09
" Daniel Barnard, council, &c.	85 85
" W. B. Fellows, " "	36 00
" F. B. Chase, leveling,	4 00
" J. L. Loverin, team,	2 00
	$134 94

PAUPER BILLS.

Paid I. H. Healy, aid to E. H. Boynton,		$5 00
" H. P. Sewell, " " "		45 00
" S. C. Drake, " " "		9 25
" J. J. Dearborn, " " "		3 00
" Philbrick & Hill, " " "		3 30
" Electa C. Glines, aid to George W. Clark,		25 00
" City of Concord, aid to J. C. Abbott, 52 weeks board, at $1.50 per week, to Feb. 28, 1888,		78 00
" Philbrick & Hill, aid to John Peneton,		20 66
" " " "	Josiah Herbert,	9 04
" " " "	Stephen Shirley,	78 00
" " " "	Fanny Dinsmore,	52 00
" Benjamin Glines, aid to John B. Glover,		78 00
" G. S. Abbott, "	Comfort Sumner,	4 50
" Edward Abbott, "	Josiah Herbert,	56 00
" C. R. Gould, "	John Arlin,	1 50
" " " "	Fanny Dinsmore,	10 00
" " " "	Mrs. Mitchell,	5 00
" " " "	Moses Wells,	10 50
" " " "	Josiah Herbert,	16 50
" A. L. Morrison, crutches for G. H. Dearborn, '86,		1 00
" J. P. Osborne, aid to Geo. W. Clark,		11 00
" J. W. Hunkins, aid to transient poor,		7 25
		$529 50

DAMAGE TO SHEEP BY DOGS.

Paid J. J. Prescott,	$10 00
" E. F. Gale,	5 00
" Wesley Knowles,	4 00
" J. S. Lang,	3 00
	$22 00

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Paid O. C. Wyatt, services as Auditor,	$2 50
" G. E. Gorrell " "	2 50

Paid	J. B. Yeaton, as Supervisor,	$5 00
"	O. C. Wyatt, " and Check-lists,	5 50
"	O. P. Sanborn, "	5 00
"	J. E. West, services as Police at Fair, '86,	2 00
"	C. H. Blake, " " "	2 00
"	Chas. F. Hill, Printing Town Reports,	32 00
"	J. B. Sanborn, Gen. Laws, Blanks, &c.	10 00
"	G. W. Avery, Decoration Appropriation,	25 00
"	A. S. Ballantyne, Hall Memorial Library,	100 00
"	G. W. Baker, Printing orders,	2 50
"	A. M. Goodale, services, etc. in Collins' case,	8 50
"	" " " as Police,	4 00
"	E. R. Glines, " " at Fair,	4 50
"	E. W. Morse, " " "	4 50
"	Allison & Fletcher, Printing notices,	1 25
"	J. N. Forrest, Board of Education,	15 00
"	J. J. Brown, damage to carriage,	2 50
"	R. B. Plummer, damage to wife and carriage,	10 00
"	B. Laremer, damage to self and carriage,	10 00
"	Edward Abbott, recording births,	75
"	Frank Hill, stationary, postage etc.	6 00
"	" " services as Selectman and expense,	85 00
"	G. S. Abbott, " " "	68 00
"	J. W. Hunkins, " " "	91 00
"	W. H. Plummer, water tub,	3 00
"	W. C. French, "	3 00
"	Daniel Barnard, legal advice,	9 00
"	T. J. Davis, Police service,	5 00
"	J. P. Dennis, Town Clerk,	35 00
"	F. J. Eastman, Treasurer,	30 00
"	E. R. Glines, water tub,	3 00
"	Shaw & Sanborn, Board of Education,	55 00
		$648 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid	Alpheus Keniston, breaking roads,	$ 60
"	H. P. Sewell, " "	2 00

Paid John Mitchell, breaking roads, 1887,	$16	66
" W. H. Plummer, " "	2	50
" Francisco Benitez, " "	6	42
" E. B. Calef, cash, " "	27	35
" C. H. Robertson, cash, and breaking roads, 1887,	13	54
" S. C. Drake, " " " " "	19	39
" W. C. Hill, " " " " "	32	09
" J. A. Cofran, " " "	5	70
" A. L. Titcomb, " " "	7	87
" L. M. French, " " "	4	20
" W. C. French, " " "	3	50
" A. W. Loverin, " " "	15	09
" E. R. Glines, " " "	7	60
" C. A. Gile, " " "	8	30
" F. W. Hurlbert, cash, and " " "	11	00
" Francis Stevens, " " " " "	12	86
" J. W. Hunkins, " " " " "	12	10
" Knapp & Lamprey, bridge plank,	52	91
" Jason Foss, running road Machine,	306	50
" F. R. Titcomb, labor on highway,	8	25
" Philip Mahan, " "	1	50
" J. N. Forrest, " "	3	67
" J. W. Hunkins, " " and bridges,	20	00
" Isadore Gomo, " "	3	50
" L. R. Brown, " " and bridges,	9	30
" O. C. Wyatt, non-resident highway tax,	2	56
" C. A. Gile, " " "	6	63
" John Mitchell, " " " and labor,	12	10
" Geo. Tylor & Co., sections for road Machine,	8	00
" F. J. Eastman, culvert on Cate brook,	44	08
" Caroline Blake, bridge lumber,	3	75
" J. W. Hunkins, labor with road Machine,	16	75
" A. P. Hoyt, breaking roads,	2	46
" C. W. Whicher, labor, breaking roads, Dis. No. 9, '87,	16	95
" A. A. Gorrell, " " " "	5	44
" R. S. Whicher, " " " "	2	69
" Oscar Gates, " " " "	3	50
" M. F. Winslow, " " " "	2	30
" Morrill Moore, " " " "	4	47

Paid	Byron Shaw, breaking roads, Dist's No. 14, 15, 16,	$27 50
"	J. J. Prescott, labor on highways,	1 00
"	S. C. Drake, " "	5 00
"	Philbrick & Hill, nails, spikes, &c.,	3 00
"	A. B. Winslow, labor on highway,	8 81
"	E. B. Calef, labor on culvert and cutting bushes,	24 00
"	J. S. Dearborn, " "	3 25
"	A. B. Winslow, breaking roads,	6 15
"	Parley Root, " "	2 50
"	Geo. H. Dearborn, " "	1 80
"	Richard Dearborn, " "	2 00
"	A. W. Loverin, " "	6 00
"	F. J. Eastman, drain pipe,	25 73
"	C. H. Ayers, breaking roads,	15 75
"	O. S. Reed, " "	2 10
"	C. C. Cross, " "	1 25
"	Jeremiah Dow, " "	1 50
"	Frank Collins, " "	3 70
"	E. B. Calef, cash, and " "	17 75
"	Davis & Hurlbert, " " "	20 00
"	E. O. Downing, " " "	36 42
"	L. R. Brown, " " "	6 13
"	C. H. Payson, Jr. " " "	15 70
"	F. R. Titcomb, " " "	19 69
"	C. W. Whicher, " " "	23 64
"	G. E. Davis, " " "	12 51
"	W. H. Plummer, " " "	19 05
"	W. C. French, cash for " "	10 52
"	Harry Shaw, " "	3 02
"	John D. Lang, " "	4 75
"	J. M. Johnson, " "	1 50
"	Daniel Sanborn, cash, " "	24 54
"	S. C. Drake, " " "	27 61
"	J. W. Hunkins, " " in back Districts,	18 35
"	" " labor on highways and bridges,	36 75
"	Jason Foss, covering stone, lumber and labor,	60 00
		$1,245 05

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT WITH MORRILL MOORE, COLLECTOR, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1888.

Amount of tax committed,		$5,038 03
Paid Treasurer,	$4,724 67	
Non-resident highway receipts,	18 10	
Fees for collecting,	65 18	
Abatements and errors,	20 01	
Uncollected,	210 07	
		$5,038 03

COLLECTED ON LISTS OF 1886.

Paid Treasurer,	$139 84
Cash for C. T. and M. E. French's note,	19 14
	$158 98

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK HILL,
GARDNER S. ABBOTT,
JOSEPH W. HUNKINS,
} SELECTMEN OF NORTHFIELD.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN TREASURER.

Town of Northfield in Account with F. J. Eastman, Treasurer.

March 1, 1887.	Cr.	
By Cash,	$639 32	
" Highway tax,	69 29	
" Use of Town Hall,	3 00	
" From tax of 1885,	10 92	
" " " 1886,	172 90	
" " " 1887,	4,710 75	
" Town of Canterbury,	80 80	
" Savings Bank tax,	1,115 23	
" Railroad tax,	285 24	
" Literary Fund,	121 36	
" Reimbursement from County,	394 05	
		$7,602 86

	Dr.	
Paid State tax,	$1,032 00	
" County tax,	981 63	
" Selectmen's orders,	3,744 67	
" Coupons,	528 00	
" Cash on hand,	1,316 56	
		$7,602 86

FINANCIAL STANDING.

Liabilities.

Bonds due May, 1888,	$5,100 00
" " May, 1893,	5,100 00
Coupons out-standing,	99 00
Due on interest account,	204 00
Undivided dog tax fund,	25 00
	$10,528 00

Assets.

Cash,	$1,316 56
In Savings Banks.	4,322 38
Uncollected taxes, 1887,	175 00
Present indebtedness, above means,	4,714 06
	$10,528 00

Balance, March 1, 1887,	$5,500 71	
" March 1, 1888,	4,714 06	
Reduced, the last year,		$786 65

CHARGES OF TOWN OFFICERS.—Including Expenses.

Frank Hill, Selectman,	$85 00	
J. W. Hunkins, "	91 00	
G. S. Abbott, "	68 00	
		$244 00
Messrs. Shaw & Sanborn, School Committee,	$55 00	
James N. Forrest, " "	15 00	
		$70 00
J. P. Dennis, Town Clerk,		35 00
F. J. Eastman, Treasurer,		30 00
Messrs. Wyatt, Sanborn and Yeaton, Supervisors,		15 00
Messrs. Wyatt and Gorrell, Auditors,		5 00
		$399 00

Receipts from Railroad, Savings Banks and Literary Fund.

	1886.	1887.
Savings Bank,	$1,070 38	$1,115 23
Literary Fund,	56 96	121 36
Railroad,	289 50	285 24
	$1,416 84	$1,521 83

TAXES COLLECTED IN	1886.	1887.
May,	$150 00	$140 00
June,	435 00	325 00
July,	550 00	273 46
August,	220 28	380 00
September,	410 00	460 00
October,	200 00	782 00
November,	1,140 00	400 00
December,	860 15	725 00
January, 1888,	580 00	160 00
February, "	1,128 22	1,098 35
	$5,673 65	$4,743 81

On highway bills, $69 29

Treasurer's Report.

In submitting his annual report, the Treasurer congratulates the tax-payers of the town that they have made a substantial reduction of indebtedness under somewhat adverse circumstances.

The unusually large expense the current winter in keeping highways in a passable condition has called for a large sum of money beyond the average.

It would seem advisable to make larger appropriations in this direction, to be used, if needed.

Money voted for other purposes is necessarily taken for a use for which it was not voted, and in this manner is liable to cause a deficiency, where ample provision had been intelligently made.

It is easy to make close estimates of many of the appropriations needed for ordinary town expense in advance, excepting, perhaps, the friction of snow storms, freshets, and lawyers.

These are dispensations which possess uncertain values.

Liberal provision for the one part, and a discreet neglect of the other, appears to be the only prudent solution of one of the most perplexing problems in the management of town matters.

The series of bonds maturing May 1, 1888, are substantially protected by cash in the treasury, and funds in the Franklin and Iona Savings Banks.

It will be proper to create a sinking fund to meet the obligations falling due May, 1893, viz: $5,100. If such a course is thought advisable, twelve hundred dollars yearly, for four years, at 4 per cent. would provide such amount beyond a reasonable question.

If there should be, from any cause, a deficiency, the town, with its unquestioned standing and credit, could easily secure a loan.

The growth and prosperity of Northfield, its rapid increase in taxable property and the addition of manufacturing property as well, in the near future to the inventory, will keep down the per cent. of taxation as low as in surrounding towns.

The same regard to economy, and the same skill and honesty of purpose that have prevailed for twenty years, will in a short period of time extinguish the small amount of indebtedness now existing, at a very moderate rate of taxation and leave a balance to the right side in the treasury.

F. J. EASTMAN, Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the subscribers, having examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer for the year ending March 1, 1888, respectfully submit that we find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

The following is a statement of the financial condition of the Town.

The Selectmen charge the Treasurer with having rec'd $7,602.86

OF THIS AMOUNT THE TREASURER HAS PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Coupons, May and November,	$513 00	
" out-standing,	15 00	
State tax,	1,032 00	
County tax,	981 63	
Parsonage int., and balance of '86,	29 00	
Haines vs. Town,	69 82	
Turnpike vs. Town,	134 94	
Pauper bills,	529 50	
Damage to sheep by dogs,	22 00	
Current expenses,	648 00	
Highways and bridges,	1,245 05	
School money,	1,066 36	
		$6,286 30
Leaving a balance in hands of Treasurer,		$1,316 56

THE LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Town Bonds,	$10,200 00	
Interest on same, from Nov. 1887, to date,	204 00	
Dog tax collected,	25 00	
Coupons, out-standing,	99 00	
		$10,528 00

AVAILABLE MEANS.

Cash in hands of Treasurer,	$1,316 56	
Deposited in Savings Bank,	4,322 38	
Taxes estimated good,	175 00	
		$5,813 94
		$4,714 06

Liabilities,	$10,528 00
Available means,	5,813 94
Present indebtedness	$4,714 06
Indebtedness, March 1, 1887,	5,500 71
Reduction of debt,	$786 65

Respectfully submitted,

OTIS C. WYATT,
BENJ. F. COFRAN,
GAWN E. GORRELL,
} BOARD OF AUDITORS.

March 1, 1888.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Town School District.

Cash received,	$670 44
" paid out,	669 72
Balance,	72

Northfield, N. H. March 1, 1888.

This certifies that we having examined the accounts of the School Board for the year ending March 1, 1888, find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

OTIS C. WYATT,
BENJ. F. COFRAN,
GAWN E. GORRELL,
} BOARD OF AUDITORS.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION,

FOR UNION DISTRICT, TILTON AND NORTHFIELD.

In making this, our second annual report, to the Union School District, we will first say that the school has been fortunate in securing the same popular Principal as of last year, Mr. George M. Clough. He has more than made good his splendid record of last year, kept up his almost perfect discipline, and increased the interest of the pupils. He has worked hard and put in long hours, the good result of which will be attested to by those who have taken interest in the progress of the scholars, and know the high standing of the graduating class of '88. We will venture to say that, in the future, this class may be equaled, but we doubt its being excelled.

The Intermediate and Second Primary Schools have been taught by the same teachers as last year, Mrs. G. M. Clough, and Miss M. E. Lyford. In both of these departments the same high standing has been maintained, if not eclipsed, that called out such emphatic approval last year.

In the first Primary department a change of teachers took place after the first term, which was taught by Miss Annie O. Drake, and the vacancy was filled by the engagement of Miss Nettie M. Mc Questen, who has allowed no retrograde movement to take place. —Not an easy task, after so able a teacher as Miss Drake.

By this change we introduced singing, which has increased the interest of the little ones, and given them much pleasure. Miss Mc Questen has been handsomely supported by Miss Lyford, and the "Singing Class" became a pronounced success. It has been so arranged that the study hours have not been disturbed, thus avoiding any complaint that might come from those who did not care to sing, or might object, if it interfered with study hours.

Grading and repairing has been done within the appropriation. The school, unfortunately, was brought to an abrupt terminaton, by the prevalence of measles, the principal, G. M. Clough, being one of the victims. However, we have been more fortunate than many schools about us. We have had 32 weeks of school; more than the average, but little enough, as we believe.

Parents of children must take more interest in this school and see that more money is raised to enable the Board of Education to engage a competent male teacher as Principal. No competent teacher can be engaged for the sum of money we have been paying. Mr. Clough was induced to accept, because he intended to make teaching his profession; and, to be Principal, he gave up a far better offer to teach a smaller school. The result has been, that he has been offered a much larger salary by those who have seen his adaptability and capability to manage a large school. Why are we not entitled to have a thorough teacher, and get good results?

Will the voters make a memorandum of this point?

Another very important point we wish to draw your special attention to, viz; a very few children have been very troublesome, and seemed intent upon running the school as they chose and retarding the great majority of the pupils; this we have refused to allow, regardless of the "backing up" of the parents of these children, who are unable to govern their children at home, and will not allow them to be corrected at school.

These children have been allowed to remain with their parents, after the parents have most shamefully abused the teacher for carrying out the views of the Board, and the result has been that harmony has existed, and the school has swept on in its progressive policy. Will you please note this fact, also, the fact that these very

same parents figure in a petition handed in to the Board, to prepare a "Check List" of all voters in the district, claiming that illegal voting had taken place, and other slurs upon the honest voters of our district. One of the agrieved parties appeared before the Board in a beastly state of intoxication, and preferred charges of a most rediculous nature.

The following are the names of the "Petitioners." The "Agrieved Parents" however can be counted on one hand, the balance signed as petitioners generally sign, without much thought, and are as progressive as any voters we have.

PETITIONERS.

John Haslam,	William H. Tripp,
Francis W. Fletcher,	Frank F. Trambley,
Kirk V. Corey,	William Irving,
Edgar A. Porter,	Daniel Avery,
David C. Wyatt,	Levi G. Adams,
Michael Conway,	Leander Irving,
Andrew Sshiatte,	James S. Boynton.

In conformity to the law, such a Check List has been made out, with much trouble and some expense to the District.

By strictly conforming to the law, and looking out for the interest of the District, a larger Literary fund has been secured than ever before.—Other Towns having enjoyed what this District had not laid claim to.

We are aware that we have made a lengthly report, but we plead our great interest in the school, to have it rank high, and to awaken the parents to see that their children have all the advantages due them ; and that they obtain an education that will fit them for higher schools and become accomplished, polished, and children to be proud of.

We subscribe ourselves your most obedient servants,

CHARLES T. ALMY,
O. G. MORRISON,
CLARA C. HILL,
} BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The following items, to those interested, are furnished by G. M. Clough, Principal.

During the past year 208 names have been registered, while the *average* number attending the schools has been 143.

The percentage of daily attendance has been 88 %

A large number leave school at an early age, as the following will show.

Number under 6 years of age,	12
" over 16 " "	5
" between 6 and 16 years of age,	191
Total,	208

Through the kindness and thoughtfulness of a former pupil, Miss Metta Wilkins, General Garfield's picture has been placed in the Grammar room; also, Abraham Lincoln's, through the generosity of the pupils.

The following books have been purchased, by subscription, towards starting a library.

Chambers' Encyclopædia. 10 volumes.
One Hundred Famous American Rambles in Europe.
Discoveries of Pizarro.
Physical Geography.
Anderson's U.S. History,
Hooker's Child's Book of Nature. 3 volumes.
Life of Garfield.

Roll of Honor.

ONE TERM OR MORE.

Grammar Room.

Lelia G. Durgin.
Maude E. Moore.
Cora E. Winch.
Henry N. Beede.
Henry G. Davis.
Herbert S. Rogers.
Arthur D. Simonds.
Florence M. Dolly.
Lizzie M. French.
George B. Rogers.
Georgia A. Bullock.
Frank G. Balcom.
Evelyn M. Cross.
Ida Adams.

Intermediate Room.

E. Etta Dolley.
Sanborn Blake.
Ray Firth.
Guy M. Lord.

Second Primary.

Willie R. Knapp.
Louis J. Lariver.
Beulah A. Hoitt.
Eva M. Lambert.
Dora C. Southwick.
Nattie Burleigh.
Arthur S. Nelson.
James Wilde.
Annie M. Simonds.
Eva H. Williams.
Fred W. Corey.
Arthur M. Lord.
John Prescott.

First Primary.

Guy C. Rowell.
Jonas Dolley.
Jimmey Devanny.

Graduates of 1888.

Lelia Gertrude Durgin.
Blanche Daisy Dennis.
Frank Grant Balcom.
George Henry Davis.
Maude Evelyn Moore.
George Bell Rogers.
Georgie Anna Bullock.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

FELLOW CITIZENS OF NORTHFIELD:

In compliance with customary regulations, we submit to you the following brief report of the schools in town, embracing all, but designating no particular school or teacher.

It would be folly to assert that our schools were equally successful, some being far superior to others, while we consider none an entire failure.

Notice, in the table of statistics the difference in the number of absent and tardy marks in the first and second terms of the same schools, when under the dicipline of different teachers. This may not be wholly the fault of the teacher,—parents being partially accountable for the small number on the list of perfect attendance.

We have endeavored to invest our small amount of school money in the most useful and economical manner, and we hope our efforts have met with your approval.

Respectfully submitted,

BYRON SHAW, } BOARD OF
DANIEL SANBORN, } EDUCATION.

Roll of Honor.

CENTER.

FIRST TERM.

Dearborn, E. Anna
Gale, Earnest F.
Rumsey, Emma J.
Sanborn, Mary F.
Sanborn, Alonzo H.

SECOND TERM.

Dearborn, Georgia B.
Gale, Elmer R.
Gale, Earnest F.
Rumsey, Emma J.
Sanborn, Alonzo H.
Sanborn, Mary F.

HODGDON.

FIRST TERM.

Glines, Albert A.
Glines, Bennie A.
Glines, Nellie M.
Shaw, Albert B.
Shaw, Allice G.
Shaw, Bertha M.

SECOND TERM.

Glines, Bennie A.
Glines, Nellie M.
Sanborn, Alonzo H.
Shaw, Albert B.
Shaw, Alice G.
Shaw, Bertha M.

RAND.

FIRST TERM.

Corliss, Arthur H.
Corliss, Harvey W.
Cram, Herbert L.
Downing, Wesley S.
Forrest, Annie R.
French, Flora G.

OAK HILL.

SECOND TERM.

Bachelder, Lizzie A.
Drake, Annie M.
Drake, Kate E.
Roberts, Mary A.
Stevens, Mabel E.
Stevens, Emma F.

SECOND TERM.

Buswell, Ivy
Bachelder, Willis M.
Bachelder, Clarence B.
Davis, Allan A.
Drake, Charles L.
Stevens, Edith E.

BEAN HILL.

FIRST TERM.

Abbott, Eugene
Davis, Lilla
Harris, Freddie
Marden, Charles

SECOND TERM.

Abbott, Eugene
Davis, Lilla E.
Harris, Freddie
Brown, Ada J.

POND.

FIRST TERM.

Davis, Cracie M.
Glines, Henry W.
Whitcher, Charles H.
Whitcher, Mabel A.

SECOND TERM.

Davis, Laura F.
Whitcher, Charles H.
Whitcher, Mabel A.

TEBBETTS.

FIRST TERM.

Tebbetts, Lizzie F.
Tebbetts, Ethel G.

SECOND TERM.

Tebbetts, Lizzie F.
Downing, Cora B.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Name of School.	Names of Teachers.	No. weeks Summer T.	No. weeks in Fall T.	No. of Pupils.	No. in Penmanship.	Reading and Spelling.	No. in Arithmetic.	No. in Geography.	No. in Grammar.	No. in Composition.	No. in Vocal Music.	Half day absences.	No. Tardy or dismissed.	Visits by School Board.	Visits by Parents, etc.
Center.	Charlotte L. Cram.	8		14	12	14	13	8	1	8		144	21	3	14
	" "		8	19	19	19	19	12	4	11		129	37	3	23
Bay Hill.	Lucie G. Stevens.	8		11	8	11	8	5	2	3		100	21	3	20
Hodgdon.	Etta F. Heath.		18	9	8	9	7	2	2	2	9	44		2	14
	" "	8		9	9	9	9	6	3	3	9	20		2	15
Rand.	Nellie M. Schwartz.		8	12	9	10	7	4	0	1		28	2	5	39
Oak Hill.	Harriett L. Pervier.	8		15	12	15	12	5	2			184	6	3	15
	Della A. Moore.		9	16	14	16	13	7	2		9	4	1	2	18
Bean Hill.	Lucie G. Stevens.	8		6	6	6	6	4	0			3		3	21
	Annie L. Chalmers.		8	4	4	4	4	2	1			0		3	21
Pond.	Stella F. Butterworth.	8		8	7	8	8	3	0			8	9	3	11
	Jessie E. Stevens.		8	9	8	9	9	4	0	1		65	12	2	10
Tebbetts.	Ida M. Peverly.	8		5	4	5	4	3	0			4	16	4	21
	Henrietta W. Hersey.		8	6	4	6	5	3	0			36	3	3	14

Births Registered in the Town of Northfield, N.H., for the year ending December 31, 1887.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name (if any)	Sex.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Mar. 18,	Northfield.		F	Philip Mahan	Mary Ann Mahan	Northfield.	Wool Spin'r	Dublin, Ire.	Co. Cork, Ire.
April 2,	"		F	Robert Mc Dowell	Lydia A. Bickford	Milford, Ks.	Farmer	Kent, Eng.	Sutton, P. Q.
Jan. 2,	"	Herbert	M	Albert C. Muzzey	Mary Thomas	Northfield.	Butcher	Bristol.	Lawrence, Mas.
Jan. 7,	"		F	Frank Shaw	Emily J. Hersey	"	Farmer	Northfield.	Hill.
June 16,	"		F	Kendrick Ludlow	Eunice D. Clay	"	"	"	Wilmot.
" 27,	"	Bessie S.	F	John S. Watson	Bessie Anderson	"	Machinist	Scotland.	Scotland.
July 8,	"	John	M	John E. Gilman	Orianna J. Nudd	"	Laborer		Canterbury.
Aug. 31,	"		F	Olin A. Dinsmore	Josie Busche	"	"	Northfield.	Concord.
Oct. 14,	"		M	Elton M. Chamberlin	Mary H. Blake	"	Mechanic	Exeter, Me.	Duxbury, Me.
" 20,	"		M	Jason W. Bean	A. M. Hodgdon	"	Carpenter	So. Danbury.	Walden, Vt.
Dec. 23,	"		F	Smith G. Wadleigh	Flora E. Gitchel	"	Farmer	Northfield.	Washington, Vt

Note. Born living. Color white,

Marriages Registered in the Town of Northfield, N.H., for the year ending December 31, 1887.

Place and Date of Marriage.	Name & Surname of Groom & Bride. Color White.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation	No. of Marriage.	Married by
Tilton. Jan. 1.	Asa K. Osgood	Northfield	75	Farmer	Northfield.	Edward Osgood Nancy Keaser	Northfield. "	Farmer	6	N. M. Learned, Tilton.
	Mary P. Lamprey	Concord	70	Housek'per	Tyngsb'ro, Mas.	Joseph Prince Nancy Keaser	Tyngsb'ro, Mas. Dunstable, "	Farmer	2	
Tilton. May 30.	Lester H. Metcalf	Northfield	26	Painter	Lancester,	Jonathan Metcalf Jennett Fisk	Whitefield.	Farmer Housek'p'r	1	N. M. Learned, Tilton.
	Addie B. Avery	"	22	Housek'per	Franklin Falls.	Daniel Avery Mary Buswell	East Tilton.	Machinist Housek'p'r	1	
Northfield. Sept. 14.	John T. Cox	Tilton	32	Shoemaker	Manchester.	Frank Cox Margarett Cox		Laborer Housek'p'r	1	N. M. Learned, Tilton.
	Abbie Collins	Northfield	24	Housek'per	Northfield.	John Collins Grace Collins	Northfield. "	Painter Housek'p'r	2	
Franklin. Nov. 23.	Charles A. Rice	"	20	Tinsmith	Webster.	Lewis A. Rice Rose A. Jackman	Webster. Claremont.	Teamster Housek'p'r	1	J. H. Bliss, Franklin.
	Grace A. Shaw	Salisbury	26	Teacher	Salisbury.	Elbridge G. Shaw Ann L. Evans	Salisbury. "	Farmer Housek'p'r	1	
East Tilton Dec. 14.	Charles W. Mason	Northfield	45	Farmer	Sandwich.	Simeon Mason Susan S. Mason	Sandwich. "	Farmer	2	W. H. Trafton, East Tilton.
	Emma R. Morse	Holderness	23	Housek'per	Holderness.	John Morse Amanda Morse	" Holderness.	Farmer	1	
Franklin. Dec. 28.	Willie M. Glines	Northfield	23	Carpenter	Northfield.	Benj. Glines Ann L. Glines	Northfield. Canterbury.	Farmer	1	Edwin L. Elder Franklin.
	Etta LeBarron	Sanbornton	18	Housek'per	Franklin.	George Le Barron Charlotte LeBarron	Sanbornton. "	Wool Sorter	1	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Northfield, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1887.

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased. Color White.	Age in Years.	" Months.	" Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex.	Single, marri'd, or widowed.	Occupation	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.
Feb. 7,	Northfield.	Chellis Sargent	86	6	30	Hampstead.	M	M.				Samuel Sargent	Hannah Woodman
Mar. 22,	"	Warren L. Hill	85	5	27	Northfield.	M	W.	Farmer				
" 27,	"	Cyntha Gilman	79			Lyman.	F	W.	Housek'per				
Apr. 4,	Concord.	Walter F. Glines	43	11	6	Northfield.	M	M.	Farmer	Northfield.		Hiram I. Glines	
Mar. 26,	Northfield.	Rhoda Clark	76			Loudon.	F	W.	Seamstress				
May 17,	"	Franklin S. Fellows	2	9	17	Ashland.	M	S.		Sandwich	Ashland	Wiliam B. Fellows	Ida Grace Scribner
" 13,	"	Hannah J. Mahan		1	26	Northfield.	F	S.		Dublin, Ire.	Cork, Ire.	Philip H. Mahan	Mary E. Lory
July 28,	"	Elizabeth E. Dearborn	74	2		Sand Hill, P. Q.	F	M.	Housek'per			John English	Margarett English
" 8,	"	John Gilman				Nortnfield.	M	S.				John E. Gilman	A. Jane Nudd
Sept. 8,	"	John Arlin					M	M.	Laborer				
" 25,	"	Mary D. Haynes	76			Northfield.	F	M.	Housek'per			Shubel Dearborn	Nancy Dearborn
Oct. 24,	"	Albert J. Cate	73	9	24	"	M	M.	Farmer			Jonathan Cate	Elisabeth Sanborn
Dec. 22,	"	Frank Kenney	52	8	7		M	M.	Loom fixer				
" 27,	"	Fannie Smith	85	1	27	Sanbornton.	F	W.	Housek'per				

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